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ECONOMY IN DRESS

Men's Suits

When made from all wool fabrics, and designed to fit your form, will give more wear for the money expended than double the number of dollars spent on never-fit clothes from stores.

Our suits will look well on you until they are worn out—will hold their shape.

LIETZ BROTHERS

Queen Quality SHOES

Queen Quality Shoes is our leading line of ladies' footwear. They are neat, stylish and dressy.

My long experience as a shoemaker tells me that they are well-made and of excellent material. A plendid shoe for the price.

We have shoes for men, women and children, and know how to fit them.

JOHN L. GOUDROW.

Whooping-Cough and Measles Among the Most Fatal Contagious Diseases of Childhood.

The importance of preventing wide spread epidemics of whooping-cough and measles does not appear to have been sufficiently impressed upon the minds of the public. There are a number of diseases which receive much more attention from the public in proportion to their importance from the standpoint of mortality record, than do these.

In the last five years in Michigan, there have been 1590 deaths charged to whooping-cough, and 1022 charged to measles. These numbers do not properly indicate the high rate of mortality from these two diseases. This is because a great number of cases have been reported to have died

Dates of the Entertainment Course.

The dates for the various numbers of the entertainment course have been determined, and are as follows:

October 30—The Jess Pugh company, a trio of real artists. Their program will consist of baritone and soprano solos, vocal duets, dramatic readings, piano and violin numbers, and ensemble numbers.

November 22—The Anita singing orchestra. This is not a conventional orchestra, nor is it a conventional singing party, but a company of entertainers, doing both of the orchestra and the work of a singing organization.

January 24—Rogers and Griley, harpist and dramatic reader.

February 9—Mr. John E. Chambers, in interpretations of "great" master-

The Home Circle

A young girl will be far safer in the hands of a young man born of parents in moderate circumstances, honest in his principles, and energetic and industrious, than she would with a young man, who has only known the luxuries of life and to whom work is an incidental matter rather than the aim and purpose of life.

There are many happy homes, thank God, in every community, and when they exist there goes out from them a blessed influence which can hardly be overestimated. "A real home with a mother in it," whose hospitable doors

get at home. The independence that comes to a man when his work is over and he feels that he has run out of steam to the quiet harbor of home, where he can rest in peace with his family, is something real. It doesn't make much difference whether you own your house or have one little room in that house, you can make that little room a home to you.

There are many so called homes that do not deserve the name at all. Home means comfort, but when we have it fixed so elaborately that we must sit in the garret or the back yard to genuinely enjoy ourselves then it is high time we make a change and turned out the good-for-nothing articles and substitute for them real homely things that we could enjoy every day of the year and every moment of the day.

The boy who looks upon his home as a place for display of nervous irritation that comes from overwork, where everything is sacrificed to the love of show and no place is left for the angel of rest and peace, will leave it at the first opportunity, and at the same time his training has fitted him to meet the great temptations outside.

Mother, young man, is the sweetest name in all the world and should be held in reverence to every boy. The time is coming when her feeble hands will be folded, her watchful eyes closed and the lips once warm with mother's love be cold; the fond heart whose anxious beatings followed your wayward feet will be stilled forever. So while you can, call her mother.

Harvesters, riding plows and cultivators may be found on every farm, but the wash board is about the same kind of one that our grandmothers used.

If some men acted half as decently when at home as they do when away from home, there would be a great deal of brightness added to domestic life.

Archibald Pym Passes Away

A sad death occurred in the home of Joseph Pym, Sr. and family, living about three miles down the river, when their son, Archibald, passed away last Saturday morning. He was a young man, about twenty-eight years old, who had the esteem of all who knew him. For some time he was in the west where he contracted typhoid fever. As soon as he was able, he returned to Michigan and was taking treatment in a hospital in Detroit, to regain his strength, but found that he was just as well off here, so went to the home of his parents, and lived but a short time.

He, at one time, worked for his brother, Joseph Pym, Jr., who had purchased the Bradley & Son market here, and was well known to Grayling people.

Funeral was held from the home of his parents last Tuesday. His body was laid to rest in Elmwood cemetery. Rev. Fleming was the officiating clergyman.

Those present from out of the city were his brother, Fred Pym, of Essex, Canada; his sisters Fannie, Mrs. Louis Binga and husband and Miss Cady, of Detroit.

Our Policy.

The AVALANCHE fills the bill fifty-two times a year. It has opinions of its own, but it always wants to be fair. It believes in conducting its own business in an honorable, upright and legitimate manner. It never tolerates underhand, despicable and sneaking methods in its business conduct for the purpose of attempting to injure that of others. It isn't built that way. It will get business legitimately if at all. This is the policy now and it will continue to be the course pursued by this newspaper in dealing with the public.

Church Notes.

Presbyterian church, October 8, 1911. Morning topic: "Investments That Pay Large Dividends." Evening topic: "Taking Counsel of Our Enemies."

Methodist church, October 8, 1911. Morning topic: "A Right Decision." Epworth League, topic: "The Christian's Emancipation." Leader: Mrs. Candall. Evening topic: "Boldness in the Spirit."

To the Public.

I wish to inform all that I am now ready to take orders for Nursery Stock for spring delivery, with information from the company to give the best of satisfaction from the largest houses in the world, with 1200 acres under cultivation for nursery stock, to be delivered in April. All stock is guaranteed and satisfaction guaranteed. 24-11 JOHN H. TOBIN.

Notice to the Public.

Hereafter both drug stores in Grayling will close promptly at one o'clock on Sunday. Please supply your wants early.

CHEERFULNESS

You owe it not only to yourself, but to your friends and loved ones as well, to be always cheerful.

There is nothing like a sunny disposition to make the home life bright and happy.

You cannot be CHEERFUL though when your head aches or when your eyes smart and burn. It is not pleasant, or profitable either to be always taking medicines, besides it gives but temporary relief.

Why not see what a pair of GLASSES will do for you? It will be money well invested. You may have been fitted before, but not have just the right kind of lenses.

I believe I can help you. Try me.

C. J. HATHAWAY

Optometrist
Grayling, Mich.

Vegetables

Crisp and Fresh.

Onions	per bu.	\$1.00
Carrots	"	.50
Beets	"	.60
Turnips	"	.25
Bagas	"	.25
Cabbage	per head	5-10-15c, according to size.
Radish, green onions, celery and parsley	at low prices.	

MARKET GARDEN

JOHN H. COOK, Florist

Greenhouse open until 10 a. m. and after 2:00 p. m. on Sundays.
Local and long distance Phone

A Dreadful Sight

to H. J. Barnum, Freeville, N. Y., was the fever-sore that had plagued his life for years in spite of many remedies he tried. At last he used Bucklen's Arnica Salve and wrote: "It has entirely healed with scarcely a scar left." Heals Burns, Boils, Eczema, Cuts, Bruises, Swellings, Corns and Fles like magic. Only 25c at A. M. Lewis & Co.

Real Estate For Sale!

40 acres, all fenced. 8 acres cultivated. One mile from Village. \$600.00.

40 acres, Oak Land adjoining Grayling Park on Portage Lake. \$800.00.

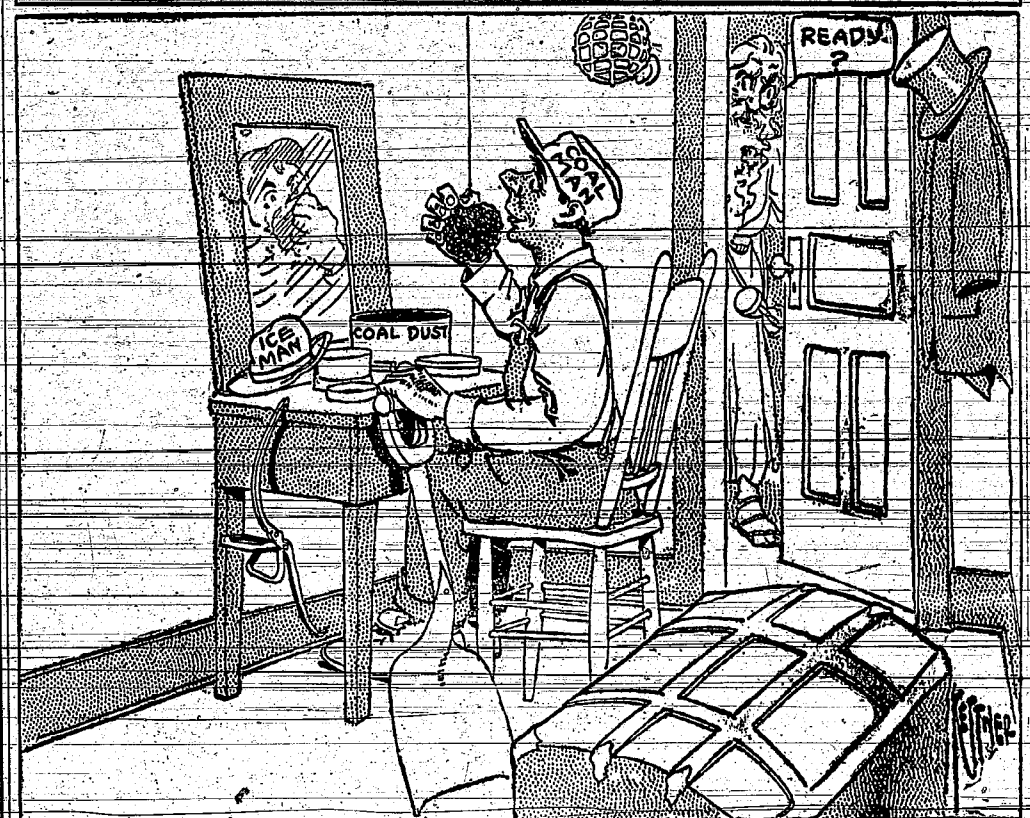
Two finely situated building lots on Ogema St. \$250.00.

40 acres, good neighborhood, convenient to school and post office, about one third rich black muck, balance good land. A small creek of pure spring water through entire tract. Title perfect. \$200.

30 acres land, S W 1/4 of N E 1/4 and N W 1/4 of S E 1/4 of Section 3, near Grayling. Price very low. Good supply of stove wood on land.

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THE QUICK CHANGE



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of pneumonia, which upon closer investigation, show to have had measles or whooping-cough preceding the pneumonia. Such deaths should be charged to whooping-cough or measles.

The importance of these diseases, as considered by the medical profession, is well shown in the following resolution adopted by the Calhoun County Medical society, recently: "RESOLVED, that the Calhoun County Medical society on regular session in the city of Marshall, appreciate the fact that whooping-cough is one of the most fatal of the contagious diseases of childhood. Resolved, that the Calhoun County Medical society hereby expresses its desire that through the efforts of the State Board of health, and the various health officers of the State, the public may be better instructed in the dangers of this disease, that the disease be reported, that stringent quarantine regulations be enforced."

The policy which we too often find, of allowing children who have whooping-cough to attend the public schools is an entirely wrong one, and one which must not be tolerated. A child with whooping-cough or measles should be given just as careful attention by the parents and physicians as a case of scarlet fever. The regulations of the State Board of health provide that children who have whooping-cough or measles, also children who live in a household so as to be exposed to whooping-cough or measles, must not attend the public schools, or any public gatherings. This is a regulation which is rather extensively not complied with in this State, and it is this failure to so restrict the cases which accounts for the large number of deaths.

It is especially urged that the public in general take more active precautions against these large epidemics of whooping-cough and measles. It is the duty of the physician in charge of these cases, or of the household in case there is no physician in charge, to report these cases to the local health officer. It is his duty to forward the report to the State department. Failure to comply with these requirements constitutes a violation of the law which should not be tolerated.

Notice to Tax Payers.

The Tax Roll of 1911 for the Village of Grayling is in my hands for collection. Taxes received any day at the Bank during banking hours.

HORACE HANSON, Treas.

Insure your property against fire losses with good safe companies.

O. PALMER, Agent.

pieces. The Pittsburg Post says: "The work of John F. Chambers was especially good. The interpretation was so excellent that the appreciation manifested by the audience was generous throughout the rendition."

March 4—Gep. D. Alden, lecturer. "Tickets for entire season now on sale. No extra charges for reserved seats at Lewis & Co.'s drug store."

Game Warden's Good Work

Game Warden Babbitt and deputies Trodell and Kidder made a "round up" at Saginaw bay in about ten days recently and twenty-three violators of



REUBEN BABBITT

the game laws were arrested and convicted. Mr. Babbitt is on the job every minute, and it takes a pretty slick one to escape him. In all his work he is just and fair and don't care to harm anyone. If good service and ability count for anything, he surely will be at the head of the game warden department of Michigan some day.

NOTICE!

Patrons of the Grayling Post office will kindly note that on and after October fourteenth, 1911, the office hours will be:

General Delivery from 7:00 a. m. to 7:00 p. m.; Money Order and Registry Division from 7:30 a. m. to 6:30 p. m.; Postal Savings Department from 8:00 a. m. to 6:00 p. m. No Money Order, Registry or Postal Savings Business will be transacted on Sunday. General Delivery will be opened from 8:00 to 9:00 a. m. as usual.

Respectfully,
M. A. BARNES,
Postmaster.

NOTICE.

My wife, having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation, this notice is to forbid any and all persons to furnish her anything on my account. JUDSON G. POKORNY.

are ever open to those not so blessed is a wonderful power for good.

The boy that jumps into the first job that offers, whether it is agreeable or not, is the boy who is chosen when the boy-hunter comes along. The boy that is trudging a wheelbarrow is taken, while the boy that is playing marbles in the shade is left. The boy cheerfully minding the baby on the front step is invited to put on a boys suit, while the one playing hooky is refused a place to drive a dirt cart.

The sweetest wives are those who possess the magic secret of being content under any circumstances. Rich or poor, high or low, it makes no difference; the bright little fountain of joy bubbles up just as merrily in their hearts. Do they live in a log cabin? The fire on its humble hearth becomes brighter than the gilded chandelier in an Aladdin palace.

Let the children have their pleasures. Train them to be obedient, neat and to some extent orderly, and then let them have all the fun their busy brains can devise, so long as it is harmless and innocent. Long after they have grown to manhood and womanhood, even after they have families of their own, they look back to their childhood as the brightest oasis of their lives. Mother will be thought of as the dearest woman and father as the best man.

The great event in every young man's life is his awakening. There comes a time when he is aroused from the dreamy carelessness of boyhood by the opening possibilities of life. If he then drops into indifference and begins life in an easy, shiftless way he fritters away his chances. If he comes to a deep, earnest purpose to be at his best and do his best, he arrives early at the highest rank among equals in business, profession or trade.

The overdressed child is always the unhappy child. She is a pert miss who has learned early to regard overmuch the pomps and vanities of life, or she is a poor, discontented victim who had never had a chance for childish play, and looks with envy at the ragged little tumbling urchins who make mud pies on the roadside.

The most illustrious statesmen and eloquent ministers owe their greatness to the fostering influence of Rome. Napoleon knew and felt this when he said: "What France wants is good mothers, and you may be sure then that France will have good sons."

Probably nineteenth-twentieth of the happiness you will ever have, you will

Basel still stands out as the most important.

Flying could almost be classed as a hazardous occupation.

When the summer has waned people will stop rocking the boat.

Of course a woman is young at thirty-five, but not disgustingly young.

The French detectives are unlike Mona Lisa. Their smile has come off.

Wyoming reports four feet of hail, which is apparently nothing to boast of.

Just after one's vacation the year ahead looks even longer than the big fish one failed to land.

Because of the katydid's miscalculation persons who sleep outdoors have not yet begun to boast of it.

Christmas comes only late in December, but one's friends insist upon getting married every little while.

The California wild man is not half so wild as some other Californians become when their climate is criticized.

"Bathing ear" is the latest summer resort disease. Physicians say it can be avoided by giving the water a wide berth.

There is always a silver lining. The report comes from Pennsylvania that the fool who rocked the boat was drowned.

The season approacheth wherein the almsdoers go forth into the forest glades to puncture the anatomy of the elusive guide.

It is only once in a while that actors can secure as much advertising out of getting married as they can out of being divorced.

A Danish novelist says that the American husband is not appreciated. At last we've found somebody who feels sorry for us.

If a man cannot afford to buy an automobile he can tell his friends that he is waiting until the airships become just a little safer.

Boston has discovered a variety of mosquito that sings and does not bite, but we still insist that the best mosquito is a dead mosquito.

Marriage licenses were issued in Milwaukee to three couples where the brides were under 50. All things come to him, or her, who waits.

The peaches and corn having survived, here comes a new joy-killer with the announcement that the cranberry crop will be a failure.

When permanent world wide peace comes we recommend that the armor plate be beaten into plowshares, the sword being kept for cheese knives.

A citizen of Kansas advertises for a wife who can furnish music, but he does not mention whether he prefers the instrumental or the chin variety.

Paris people who decree fashions are turning out winter jackets in three lengths instead of one. This will allow woman to be even more of an individualist than she was before.

"Shall the baby be rocked to sleep" is the question that is agitating Boston. In Newport and on Fifth avenue the paramount question is: "How often shall Fido be manipulated?"

An Omaha society woman was blown over by an ocean breeze and lost her false teeth. Now we know what is meant by the "teeth of a gale."

A 17-foot shark caught off the Delaware breakwater is reported as having an umbrella in its stomach, though whether folded or spread the veracious reporter neglects to say.

A Philadelphian who has thus far succeeded in keeping out of the hands of a guardian has had his pet cat buried in a silk-lined mahogany casket. Not all of Pennsylvania's silly rich people reside in Pittsburgh.

A Chicago detective, after being required to open a bottle and taste its contents in court, told the judge that he was satisfied that the bottle contained beer. The judge seemed to think that he was good authority.

Our idea of nothing to look at is an aviator two and a quarter miles up in the air. He closely resembles an attenuated bacillus as it appears when one hunts for it without a microscope.

Georgia clergymen want the width of women's hats limited to two feet, but most husbands are more interested in the price than in the size.

It is said that the people of Chicago consume 40,000,000 pigs' feet every year. Perhaps that accounts for a whole lot of Chicago's peculiarities.

Cable reports tell us that Padernawski's poultry yard was damaged by fire, but as long as his fowling looms remain unharmed he will be able to eke out an existence.

There is in Paris a suffragette who announces that she will never rest until she has fought a duel with a man. Let some Frenchman accommodate her. He could do so without being at all impolite to a lady, provided they fought a French duel.

The girl whose real name was concealed because she wrote it often on the typewriter should have borne in mind the objection made by some to the typewriter when it was first introduced. It gives away your spelling and really.

ITALY STRIKES FIRST BLOW IN WAR WITH TURKEY

WHIPS TURKS IN FIRST FIGHTING TAKING THREE TOWNS

TRIPOLI, BENGHAZI AND PREVESE ARE SEIZED AND TURKISH VESSELS ARE DESTROYED AND DRIVEN ASHORE

TURKEY FAILED TO MEET DEMANDS MADE UPON IT BY ITALIAN REASON FOR WAR.

TURKEY SENT CONCILIATORY REPLY, EVADING DIRECT ANSWER.

Time of Hostilities Dates From 2:30 Friday Afternoon, at the End of the 24-Hour Ultimatum Sent Turkey.

Actual hostilities have opened. The Italians have landed at Tripoli and Benghazi, which is 420 miles east of Tripoli. Italy has fought and won the first naval battle of her war against Turkey and two Turkish naval vessels have been put out of commission and driven ashore. Another report says two Turkish barges were sunk while attempting to land troops at Tripoli.

An Italian cruiser has destroyed a Turkish destroyer in the harbor of Prevesa and landed troops.

Italy has declared war on Turkey. The official announcement was made late today. It declared that the two countries were in a state of war beginning at midnight 2 o'clock on the afternoon of Friday, Sept. 29.

This is the hour at which the Italian ultimatum to Turkey expired. The announcement followed a session of the cabinet at which the Turkish reply was considered and found unsatisfactory.

Italy will provide for the safety of Italians and all other foreigners in Tripoli and Benghazi, using to this end all the means at her disposal.

The blockade of the entire coast of Tripoli and Benghazi will be undertaken immediately and a notification of this will be sent to all neutral powers.

Turkish ambassador was given his passports by the Italian government on his request for them just before the official declaration of war.

He had been directed by his government to demand them.

Though every indication pointed to a declaration of war by the royal government, there was always a possibility that the good offices of other governments would be successful in averting hostilities, and when the final decision of the cabinet was announced the excitement throughout the country was intense.

Signor Di San Giuliano, minister of state, received the Turkish reply from the Turkish ambassador and immediately went into conference with his associates in the ministry.

It is understood the Ottoman government completely conceded Italy's economic claims in Tripoli, but evaded the direct answer demanded by this government, which had set forth in its ultimatum that Turkey must say that she would meet the Italian demands.

The royal government decided to stand absolutely by the ultimatum and in the absence of the reply called for to declare Italy and Turkey in state of war from the hour that the 24 hours allowed expired.

LATEST WAR DEVELOPMENTS.

Tripoli is being bombarded. Turkish garrison flees.

Rumor says Turkish fleet has been sunk in the Aegean sea.

Two Turkish transports sunk off Prevesa.

Prevesa has been bombarded.

Turkish torpedo boats attacked off Durazzo.

Italians capture Turkish transport Derna and governor-general of Tripoli.

Turkey again appeals to the powers.

Italy explains the war's causes.

Greece prepared to fight Turkey.

Crete will demand release.

Turkey orders army mobilization.

Powers talk of stopping war.

Of 75,000 rats killed by the Seattle health department in the past 15 months, only one was infected with bubonic plague. The rat was captured recently in the downtown district.

Martin B. Madden, the Chicago labor leader, sued for separate maintenance by his wife two weeks ago, has filed a cross bill before Judge Scanlan in the circuit court, accusing his wife of misconduct. He also filed an answer to Mrs. Madden's suit in which he denied all of her charges.

The date of the thirty-eighth annual convention of the National Woman's Christian Temperance Union at Milwaukee has been changed according to an announcement made from the National Press headquarters and the dates now settled upon are October 28 to November 2 inclusive.

That the manufacture of smoking opium has been going on in St. Paul and other large cities of the country since the winter of 1903, without restraint except in a few isolated cases and without federal regulation is the statement made by St. Paul internal revenue officers.

In an attempt to save a lean, scraggly stray kitten from death under the wheels of a locomotive, a boy, a bandman employed by the Kansas City Terminal company in Kansas City, dashed in front of an Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe train, and was killed. The kitten was killed.

Gen. Reyes Makes Himself an Exile.

Gen. Bernardo Reyes, with several prominent Mexicans who have been active in the Reyes propaganda, sailed from Vera Cruz for New York on the steamship Monterey. This was a great surprise to Mexicans. Reyes had kept his movements secret for the past few days and it was not even known generally that he had left Mexico City until he arrived in Vera Cruz in a special car.

He sent a telegram to President de la Barra, in which he said he was leaving Mexico for the good of the country and he believed that there was much more chance of peace if he were absent. He added that he desired that his party continue its organization as he expected to return to Mexico in good time.

Warns Iowans of Business Perils.

President Taft faced the middle west with an appeal to check unjust prejudice against the business enterprise of the country. In an address in Waterloo on the relation of the government to the business of the country, he delivered here last afternoon before an outdoor audience of several thousand people, the president said that the people of every section and class of this country were all in the same boat, and that to persist in sectional vindictiveness against the business of any other section of the country would enforce business prostration throughout the land as surely as night follows day. "We are all tossed by the same waves," he cautioned them.

FLASHES FROM WIRE.

President Gomez of Venezuela has issued a decree convoking congress tomorrow. It states that congress will consider financial questions.

Wm. A. Lewis, a bodyguard of Abraham Lincoln during the civil war and a policeman at the White House as a doorman's duty for 35 years, is dead. He was 85 years old.

Installation of the new supreme court of the United States at St. Louis, Mo., and the final sessions of the grand council marked the close of the annual convention of the order in Washington.

Jasper Wilson, private secretary to his father, Secretary Wilson, of the department of agriculture, has resigned, and will be succeeded by Robert M. Reese, for many years confidential clerk to Secretary Wilson.

For the purpose of ascertaining what method is the most efficacious in suppressing measles, a dozen monkeys at the hygienic laboratory of the public health and marine hospital service are to be infected with the measles germ.

A special venire of 125 possible jurors for the trial of the two dynamite brothers, alleged dynamite makers in Los Angeles, was drawn by Judge Berdwell. Names of the veniremen were kept secret. The trial will begin on October 11.

An appeal from the order of the state railroad and warehouse commission declaring reduced express rates in effect in Illinois October 1, was filed in the circuit court in Springfield, Ill., by the American, Western and National Express companies.

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Barl L. Ovington, the aviator, who has been carrying in aeroplanes mail and passengers, is reported to have been carrying in his plane, New York, aerodrome daily since the beginning of the month, has received from Postmaster General Hitchcock a document certifying his appointment as the chief official aerial mail carrier in the United States.

The largest shipment of foreign sugar ever received in California, entered San Francisco Bay. It was sent from the East Indies on the Norwegian steamer August. The sugar was imported through the American-Hawaiian Sugar Refining company for fruit canners, and the value is \$1,000,000 duty paid. The tariff is \$800,000.

Following the thankful celebration in Cleveland of John D. Rockefeller on the fifty-sixth anniversary of getting his first job, it is told the story of his financial career by a reporter in a St. Louis store. It was at the urging of Samuel Andrews, the partner that Rockefeller engaged in the oil refining business, investing \$11,000, the whole of his fortune.

Two million and a half dollars was on deposit in the postal savings bank on August 31, according to official computations. There was an increase of \$1,000,000 during August. It is estimated that the aggregate of deposits September 30 will be \$4,000,000.

At the request of the Louisiana authorities, the navy department has ordered Commander Britton of the gunboat Wheeling, to head the marine procession which will formally open to the sea the new port of Morgan City, La., October 6. The Wheeling has sailed from Quantico for Morgan City.

Viscount Uchida, the retiring Japanese ambassador to the United States, accompanied by Viscountess Uchida, sailed for Yokohama on the steamship Awa-Maru. Upon his arrival in Japan about October 13 the viscount will take up his duties as minister of foreign affairs.

Garbed in the attire of a man and working on a farm near Mellen, Wis., according to an agreement made by a woman, her father in Italy and her cousin, which was to be binding for five years, Minnie Disette, an Italian woman 35 years old, was found by United States immigration officers.

UNION MAYOR DEFEATED

P. M. McCarthy is Elected in San Francisco by James Rolph, Open Shop Man.

James Rolph, "open shop" candidate of San Francisco, was elected mayor at the primary election by an overwhelming majority, with a total vote of about 75,000. According to early returns Rolph has secured 65,000, while Mayor McCarthy's vote is less than 20,000.

It was charged against McCarthy's administration that he has gone to extremes in his liberal views and that San Francisco is too much of an "open town" from the point of view of amusement and entertainment.

Deputy Mayor McCarthy says that the unions have become too autocratic that capital has become timid.

Following the religious movement started in Grand Rapids, 3,000 employees in different factories, offered prayers during lunch hour for the success of the men.

THE MARKETS

LIVE STOCK

DETROIT. Cattle—Market steady; dry-fed steers and heifers, \$15.00 to \$16.00; choice and fancy, \$16.00 to \$17.00; good to choice, \$15.00 to \$16.00; mixed, \$14.00 to \$15.00; cows, \$13.00 to \$14.00; calves, \$12.00 to \$13.00; hogs, \$11.00 to \$12.00; pigs, \$10.00 to \$11.00; sheep, \$10.00 to \$11.00; lambs, \$11.00 to \$12.00; chickens, \$10.00 to \$11.00; turkeys, \$12.00 to \$13.00; ducks, \$10.00 to \$11.00; geese, \$10.00 to \$11.00; corn, \$1.00 to \$1.10; wheat, \$1.20 to \$1.30; oats, \$1.00 to \$1.10; barley, \$1.00 to \$1.10; rye, \$1.00 to \$1.10; clover, \$1.00 to \$1.10; alfalfa, \$1.00 to \$1.10; timothy, \$1.00 to \$1.10; hay, \$1.00 to \$1.10; straw, \$1.00 to \$1.10; manure, \$1.00 to \$1.10; fertilizer, \$1.00 to \$1.10; lime, \$1.00 to \$1.10; cement, \$1.00 to \$1.10; brick, \$1.00 to \$1.10; tile, \$1.00 to \$1.10; lumber, \$1.00 to \$1.10; shingles, \$1.00 to \$1.10; siding, \$1.00 to \$1.10; flooring, \$1.00 to \$1.10; joists, \$1.00 to \$1.10; rafters, \$1.00 to \$1.10; 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The Awakening of the Older Nations

The Spirit of Change Has Reached the Holy Land and Its Famous Capital—Religious Sectarianism Has Crowded Holy City With Rival Establishments.

By WILLIAM T. ELLIS.

Jerusalem. Of three holy cities that are popular places of pilgrimage, Jerusalem, Mecca and Benares, the Turkish empire has two within her borders. The Holy Land, as Christendom calls the little strip of territory along the Mediterranean coast north of Egypt, is an integral part of Turkey. It has always been famous for the perusal of its ancient customs, so that hundreds of pilgrims travel over it every year to get light on the Bible. A generation hence, that search will not be so successful, for it is patent that Palestine is sharing the awakening of the ancient east.

Not only is there a railway from Beirut to Damascus, and from Damascus to Haifa, and from Haifa to Mecca, and from Mecca to Jerusalem, but there is also projected at the present time a new railway that will go down the coast from Beirut through Sidon, Tyre, Acre, Haifa and Jaffa, clear to the Suez canal.

Improving on Solomon. The ancient City of David has come under the new influences of modern times. Negotiations are at present pending for several radical and transforming innovations. The first of these to be pushed to early completion will probably be the water system. Jerusalem still depends on the collected rain supply in cisterns for its water. The very pools built by Solomon are still in use, although the municipal system has greatly deteriorated since his day.

Now it is proposed to bring water from two sources, in Fara, north of the Mount of Olives, and Fawar, an other spring in the same valley. It has been found that this water is pure and sufficient for the city's needs. When this has been put into water

den, taken nearly the whole street when he passes.

These electric lamps will enhance the comfort of the city, but they will have with the historical aspect. Can sentiment survive the conductor's call, "All out for the Holy Sepulcher!" "This way for the Jews' Walling Place." "Next stop, the Temple Area." "The Damascus Gate," and "Via Dolorosa!"

New Lights for Old Streets. Jerusalem is not so dark as some Oriental cities, for the municipality placed a thousand kerosene lamps along the principal highways. Now it is on the program of the government to install an electric lighting plant for the streets, and for the stores and houses.

A telephone system also is on the docket. At present practically all the modern business of Jerusalem is done outside of the city walls. Messages can be carried from one part to another only, as in the time of David, by foot messengers. Soon the tinkle of the telephone bell will rival the more musical notes of the camel bells.

A Pauperized City. Religion has blighted Jerusalem. The Apostle Paul could repeat here his famous words: "I perceive that in all things you are too religious." One looks in vain for the smokestacks of modern industry, and for great warehouses, or temples of business. He sees scores of expensive modern buildings, but all in the name of sectarian religion.

Old Jerusalem, as viewed from the hills, presented one outstanding building, the Temple of the Jews. Today the approaching traveler is confused by the multitude of the spires and towers and noble edifices. Missions of all kinds, and hospices, and convents and monasteries and asylums abound. Practically all of these are supported from abroad. Concerning the Jewish organizations and Jewish problems here I shall write in another article.

At present I deal only with various Christian churches: The Greek, the Armenian, the Roman Catholic, the Syrian, the Coptic, and the Protestant. There are literally hundreds of religious institutions in Jerusalem. One sect alone spends 6,000,000 francs every year for the upkeep of its monasteries and other institutions.

The Rivalry for Sacred Sites. Every holy, slight, imaginable has been possessed, and many beyond the

possessions, who see nothing absurd in the hanging of paper works and other things on the walls, and the ornamentation of the Holy Sepulcher. The simplicity, dignity, worshipfulness and real beauty of the Mosque of Omar, which is in the keeping of the Moslems, present a striking contrast to the famous Christian shrines.

A Nazareth Carpenter's Views. The changes that are bound to transform Jerusalem and Palestine are already to be seen at work. "In the bazaars of an older day are exhibited foreign styles of dress, and goods of American and European manufacture. The stream of tourists from the west has effected changes in fashions. The economic conditions of the land have altered gravely."

That this has penetrated to the smaller towns and villages, I learned in Nazareth. Here, seated amid the fragrant chips of an old fashioned carpenter's shop, I talked with the carpenter, at work on the floor, hewing out a wooden plow. He complained bitterly of the general advance of prices of living, so that the 30 cents a day, which used to be a good wage for a skilled carpenter, is now inadequate. Some of his relatives have solved the problem by emigrating to America, and he inquired concerning the feasibility of doing likewise.

The world currents of today are pouring the warm stream of transforming life against the ancient east. All that centuries have failed to do in Palestine, the present decade seems destined to accomplish. Paradoxically, the Holy Land has furnished the awakening motive that has made western civilization; but the land itself has remained largely untouched. Now Palestine's turn seems to have come. (Copyright, 1911, by Joseph B. Bowles.)

HOODOOS OF WALL STREET

Men Who for no Apparent Reason Do Not Make a Success in Business.

Wall street people are superstitious. They will deny it when told so, but if you ask any one in the street if he ever knew a hoodoo he will say, "Yes, many a one."

Such a one was a cotton expert who, highly recommended, applied for a place with a Stock Exchange house that had bought a cotton exchange membership and needed a man to open a new field of speculation to its clients.

The applicant was in every way desirable save for the fact that three houses with which he had been connected had failed, though not one for a dishonest reason. He was rejected as a hoodoo.

Shortly afterward he made a connection with another house to fill a similar want and proved a very valuable man in his sphere, but within a year the fourth house failed.

The hoodoo is often a man whom everybody likes, speaks well of, and recommends to every one else, with the one reservation—he is a man who has not succeeded. There is nothing whatever against him; he is honest and shrewd and all that, but—unsuccessful.

Once the hoodoo becomes known as such he must attach himself to the newcomers—those who do not know, have not been warned off or who are so new and confident as not to care. Each connection he makes is a little less desirable, until he finally reaches the stage at which he is ashamed of his associations.

Plausible, But— "It is plausible, but it is not convincing."

The speaker was Champ Clark, the Democratic leader. The scene was a dinner party in Bowling Green. The subject was a bill of which Mr. Clark disapproved.

"Yes," he resumed, "the argument for this bill is plausible and convincing—just like the argument of the intoxicated tramp."

"A tramp, you know, rose from his shady seat under a tree one hot June afternoon, and handed an old lady a driving a white horse."

"Please, ma'am," he said, "will you, for the love of heaven, give me a few coppers to buy food?"

"No, I won't," the old lady snapped. "You've been drinking, G'lang, George." "Well, and suppose I have been drinking?" the tramp shouted after the retreating team. "Is that any reason why I shouldn't eat occasionally?"

Sign of Popular Affection. "Weren't you indignant when people you didn't know called you by your first name?"

"No," replied Senator Sorghum; "but I've worried a great deal since they've shown a disposition to stop it."

Many of these pilgrims are ignorant of the fact that the old farm book, carefully preserved in the family strong box, sustained the judge's theory. All the circumstances of the calf's birth were fully recorded. And thus the birthday of the human being was at length established.

"Talk about the registration of births in the United States!" exclaimed Dr. Wilbur, "why, for not much more than one-half of the total population is there a fairly accurate registration of deaths, to say nothing of births, of which we have nowhere in the country reliable or complete information, and many of the states are so little concerned about human life that they make no more account of the deaths of their citizens than of the trees they burn to make clearings."

Cheese-Playing Automata. There have been several automaton chess players, but it should not be necessary to say that they were all worked by the man behind the machine, or rather, within or under the machine. At the great fair held in the Crystal Palace, in London, in 1851, an automaton played the game beautifully, and so early as 1753 Baron Von Kempelen of Hungary invented an automaton that was the marvel and wonder of the time. Von Kempelen went all over Europe with his "Turk."

NOVELIST'S WIFE AS AN AVIATOR



MRS. HEWLETT MOUNTING HER BIPLANE

ONE of the first of the English women to essay the delights and brave the dangers of the aeroplane was Mrs. Maurice Hewlett, wife of the well-known novelist. She liked flying so much that she became an expert and finally established an aviation school at Brooklands, England. Many pupils are being initiated into the art of aviation by her, among them some women. The picture shows Mrs. Hewlett in the act of mounting her biplane preparatory to a flight.

TRAVELS IN AFRICA

Well-Known English Author Tells of Trip.

Miss Mary Gaunt rode 700 miles in a hammock through tropical country where white women never had been before.

London.—After traveling 1,500 miles—700 of them in a hammock—through tropical Africa, a large portion of her journey being through country where no white woman has ever been before, Miss Mary Gaunt, the well-known authoress, has returned to London to write a book of her experiences.

The other day she narrated some of her experiences. She is a pleasant looking, resolute lady.

"I have been all along the gold coast," she said, "from the western to the eastern borders. I also visited Togoland (the German territory) and Sanyani, in the northwest province of Ashanti, the back of beyond, where no other white woman has gone."

"Altogether, I have been away eight months. Now I want to go to Timbuctoo, but I must write my book first."

"In Ashanti I created quite a sensation. None of the natives had ever seen a white woman before. They turned out with guns and shot them off, and they beat deliciously upon tom-toms. Crowds came to look at me."

"They dashed me" (gave me) sheep and chickens and eggs—some of which were hoary with age and even onions. That meant, of course, that I had to dash them, which cost money."

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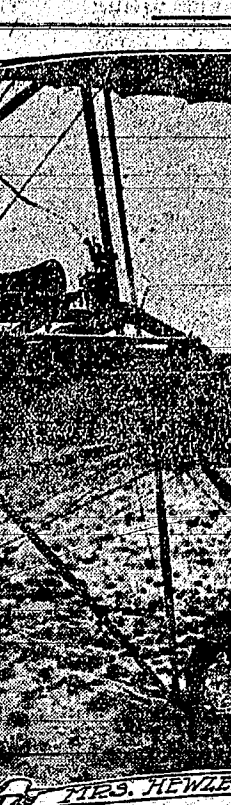
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Don't Like to Get Wet and Continuous Rain Force Little Animals to Make Use of Wits.

Tarrytown, N. Y.—Automobiles who drove down the Gorybrooke road reported that as they passed William Rockefeller's place they saw two gray squirrels crossing the road with umbrellas over their heads to protect them from the rain.

The story was laughed at when first told, but Irving Revere drove into town, bringing along a dead gray squirrel. Revere said the squirrel had been hit by a car and near by was a cabbage leaf. He said it explained why so many gardens had been ravaged.

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Indianapolis Business Man, in Love With French Girl, Carries on Courtship by Telegraph and Wins the Lass.

New York.—The wireless was an aid to bashful young men who cannot muster courage to tell their loves in their sweetest arts, presence stepped in to accomplish a marriage solemnized in New York the other day.

A French girl, Miss Marguerite Castaigne, a daughter of Colonel Jean Castaigne, was the heroine of the Jules Verne romance that the wedding disclosed. James Guy Haugh, an Indianapolis manufacturer, was the hero.

The various scenes are laid in France and America and on three liners that crossed the Atlantic at various times this summer. And neither the cable, which runs far beneath the surface of the ocean, nor the ether-plow the water was without its share in conveying the messages of love which finally brought the two together.

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Colorado Tot Is Not a Patent Food Baby, Either, She Insists—Can't Get Enough to Eat.

Denver, Colo.—Baby Vera Mary Jones walked, or rather waddled, proudly through the streets of Denver on a shopping trip with her mother.

Vera Mary was five years old August 4, and her weight is 140 pounds. Vera is happy and rosy cheeked and carries her tremendous weight with apparent pride.

"Are you a patent food baby?" asked one of the curious in the crowd that gathered at Sixteenth and Chambers streets, to see the child wonder.

"No, I aren't a patent food baby, I've got all kinds of a food baby," she laughed, and her mother laughed at the child's answer and said that she surely was an "all kinds of a food baby."

"Why, I simply can't give that child enough to eat," she said. "Today for luncheon she ate a big dish of mashed potatoes, two helpings of baked animal, six slices of bread and butter, a cup of coffee and some cake, and that isn't much for Vera to eat."

"Does she eat many eggs and drink much milk?" an onlooker ventured.

"She'd drink all the milk she could get hold of, but we don't order but a quart a day for her, and she eats lots of eggs, too."

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Explorers Find the Volcanic Shooting Fire Thousands of Feet in Air—Spread Out Like Trees.

Seattle, Wash.—Mount Pavlov, the volcanic peak in the Aleutian islands, was active during the summer, according to advices brought by the bark Gug C. Goss.

Owing to the vigor of Bogoslov, Shishaldin and Pavlov, all famous Aleutian volcanoes, during 1909, several expeditions were sent out to photograph them, but the weather in 1911 was so foggy it was dangerous to approach the volcanic islands.

On the way north, the Goss observed Pavlov sending a column of smoke thousands of feet into the air. This column spread out into branches like the limbs of a huge tree.

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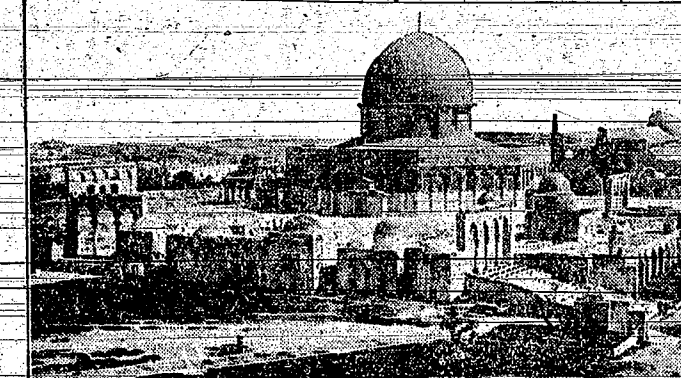
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City of Palestine.

main, and all the residents have been compelled to install it in their homes. It will mean a revolution in the habits and the life of the people, and it is hoped, a revolution also in the matter of personal cleanliness.

Where Foreign Governments Interfere. In order to meet the expenses of the installation of the water system, the government decided to take, as a special tax, the hides of the animals slaughtered within the city. A common sight is a sheep tethered on the street outside the butcher shop, awaiting its turn. As this bore hardly upon the butchers, many of whom are registered at the various consulates as citizens of foreign countries, these representatives of the powers objected, so some other means of financing the new water system will have to be found. Men seeking the concession are on the ground, and the government seems determined to carry the project to an early settlement.

Allied to the water question is that of sewage. Jerusalem has something in the way of an antiquated system of sewage, but the visitor would never suspect it. Travelers talk of the filthiness of the streets of Jerusalem, and the historians understand them in the terms of the west, which gives no inkling of the real situation. The properties of western life do not permit one to speak freely on this point. But the streets of Jerusalem are as bad as those of the Chinese cities, if not worse. The horror is that filthiness has not swept away the population. It, along with the proposed new system of sewage, there go vigorous police regulations, a most welcome change will be witnessed in the sights and smells of Jerusalem.

Down David Street by Trolley. Until recently it was impossible to travel anywhere in Jerusalem by wheel or vehicle, but various streets have been widened, thanks largely to the visit of various royal personages. But the whole, the streets of the city are narrow and unfit for vehicle traffic. Many of them are vaulted, so that they are really tunnels, and while picturesque to the last degree, they do not lend themselves to the purposes of modern streets.

Now the reform government proposes to install four or five lines of electric trolley cars, all of them centering at the Jaffa gate. They will connect the neighboring villages with the city, so that one may go to Bethlehem for a nickel, and in less than half an hour. One line will invade the Jaffa bazaar, widening the Street of David, carrying passengers past the Mosque of Omar, which is the site of the ancient Temple of the Jews. Imagine the worshippers of the Temple disturbed by the clang of the bell of the electric car!

At present most of the streets are so narrow as footpaths. When the foot-stepping camel comes along, as he does every few minutes, all pedestrians must stand aside in the recesses of the bazars, or against the wall, to make way for his passage. Even the plodding donkey, who, still as of yore, is the favored beast of bur-

Imagination of a mere student of the Bible. Some have even been manufactured, so keen is the rivalry of the old churches to possess the holy places that attract the pilgrims. The situation has come to such a pass that visitors are scarcely shown the real antiquities of Jerusalem, so popular with the professional guides are the legendary ones. There is now afoot a plan for an American institution of popular Biblical archaeology, supported and controlled by the United States, which will provide visitors from the west with the information they really desire.

The overlay of superstition and commercialism and professional ecclesiastical rivalry which one finds in Jerusalem is quite as bad as may be seen at Benares. It has become necessary to station Turkish guards in the Church of the Holy Sepulcher and in the Church of the Nativity at Bethlehem, in order to keep the rival churches from coming to blows. The incongruity of Moslems with guns standing guard in the birthplace of the Prince of Peace strikes an American visitor with greater force than any sanctity the spot may possess.

The vast pilgrimages from Europe and Asiatic Russia are very profitable, and as they promote national prestige, they are encouraged by the various governments which have a stake in the future of Turkey. Russia maintains a huge system of buildings, including a large hospice for visitors. There are also Austrian, German, French and Italian hospices.

Many of these pilgrims are ignorant of the fact that the old farm book, carefully preserved in the family strong box, sustained the judge's theory. All the circumstances of the calf's birth were fully recorded. And thus the birthday of the human being was at length established.

"Talk about the registration of births in the United States!" exclaimed Dr. Wilbur, "why, for not much more than one-half of the total population is there a fairly accurate registration of deaths, to say nothing of births, of which we have nowhere in the country reliable or complete information, and many of the states are so little concerned about human life that they make no more account of the deaths of their citizens than of the trees they burn to make clearings."

Cheese-Playing Automata. There have been several automaton chess players, but it should not be necessary to say that they were all worked by the man behind the machine, or rather, within or under the machine. At the great fair held in the Crystal Palace, in London, in 1851, an automaton played the game beautifully, and so early as 1753 Baron Von Kempelen of Hungary invented an automaton that was the marvel and wonder of the time. Von Kempelen went all over Europe with his "Turk."

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Calif's Birthday Was Recorded, Thus the Age of the Human Being Became Known.

Dr. Cressy L. Wilbur, chief statistician of the bureau of census in Washington, tells a story taken from court records which, according to the Woman's Home Companion, fairly typifies the national attitude toward vital statistics.

"Farmer Hadley," he said, "of Indiana on dying left his valuable farm in trust to his unthrifty son, to become the property of his granddaughter on her twenty-first birthday."

"The girl had been told the date of her birth and when her twenty-first anniversary, as she supposed, came around, she claimed her inheritance. But her father refused to surrender the farm, asserting that she was only nineteen."

"The dispute was taken into court. The family Bible was appealed to, but the page for births and deaths was blank. The father had rendered no report to the town authorities; the family doctor was dead. Finally a neighbor remembered that a certain cow, much prized by the grandfather, had given birth to a calf on the very day when the girl was born—and he could swear to it."

"Perhaps," the court opined, the grandfather had recorded the birth of the calf.

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Man With the Wobbly Tongue.

"Take not beyond this threshold
Hence words spoken here in
friendly confidence."

The man who talks too much, don't mean to do any harm, but does this lessen the hurt?

His tongue wobbles as fast as his mind flies. He can't control his speech, so he can't avoid his slips.

He is a greater nuisance than the criminal and brings greater disaster upon the people.

His head is an empty shell, his intellect never reaches high water mark.

He bears his affairs on the tip of his tongue, tells all he knows. He destroys his own worth, we don't hire men who "give themselves away."

We evade the recognized blabber. Those of us who have accumulated vital and important facts will not trust them to a gossip.

He isn't competent to guard our interests, if he can't guard his speech. We can't impose any responsibility upon a blabber. His services are not wanted.

It is fully as serious to betray a confidence as to commit a crime.

Wealth and happiness are our desire, but when we lose property we do not suffer nearly so heavily as when some one "gives away" our plans.

With a little patience and time we can replace our losses, but when our secret processes are laid bare then success is killed at the beginning.

The blabber is beyond the control of the law. His apparent inoffensiveness affords him chances, which we would not offer to an intending wrong doer.

We can guard our property with safes and vaults and watchmen, but as yet we have no method of safeguarding our business affairs from the man who is a blabber.

We have but one insurance against him—but one sure remedy—to guard our own tongues and keep our private affairs to ourselves.

When you enter your employer's door leave all your personal affairs outside—when you pass out leave all his personal affairs inside.

Gov. Osborn has appointed Edward Fernsford, of Hudson, a member of the Board of Control of Jackson prison. Mr. Fernsford is one of Michigan's big business men and is also the largest buyer of wool in the state. He is a bright, enterprising and progressive gentleman, is public-spirited and thoroughly in accord with things that are for advancement of education and good of people. If he were not a democrat he would be a good man for governor of Michigan.

The Daigos are brave fighters on the sea, where they have the odds overwhelmingly on their side. But we will waver that their enemies will talk Turkey to them on land.

Do you know the joy of early waking hours out where the breath of morn finds its way to your window and the warbling of feathered songsters is heard at the first gleam of day. Never was there perfume such as God dispenses when he gives us the happiness of another June day.

Everything that grows—the wubs of humble blossoms and stately rose, clambering over the garden wall—all present their portion of sweetness to the breeze.

From distant meadows and forest-land, from green hillside and valley, the fragrance is borne to our senses and all of earth seems to offer its sweet-smelling incense to the birth of a sunny day.

Who would not raise his hand to the morning air and be content in the loveliness tendered by this beautiful month for our delight? And seeing, feel in his heart the wisdom of that poet who also loved rosetime and because he loved it, asked a question we may vainly seek an answer for: "What is so rare as a day in June?"—Haberdsasher.

Trinity Church in Debt.
Trinity Church, New York, rich as every-day values beyond the thought of money value, is \$289,894 in debt. Contrary to its former practice, it now tells in its annual reports the value of its properties, its income and its debts. Its report of last year, just issued, values productive property owned at \$15,117,000, of which \$12,858,000 is real estate at city assessed valuation.

Concealed in the Machinery.
"I can't see much in automobiles, but I suppose you can, or you wouldn't have bought one."
"You bet I can! There's a good frame cottage in this one that I see quite plainly, and you don't."

Averts Awful Tragedy.
Timely advice given Mrs. C. Willoughby, of Marengo, Wis., (R. No. 1) prevented a dreadful tragedy and saved two lives. Doctors had said her frightful cough was a "consumption" cough and could do little to help her. After many remedies failed, her aunt urged her to take Dr. King's New Discovery. "I have been taking it for some time," she wrote, "and the awful cough has almost gone. It also saved my little boy from a severe bronchial trouble. This marvelous medicine is sold by all druggists. Price for a bottle, 50c. Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by A. M. Lewis & Co."

Neighborhood News

Lovell's Locals.

C. W. Ward and his relatives have left for the sunny southland.

W. S. Brown left on Saturday last for W. Va., and expects to stay a short time.

Gladya Silingerland returned home from an extended visit with friends in West Branch.

Yes, E. S. Houghton is in on that reward road job, too. A surveyor that's a hustler.

Mrs. B. F. Silingerland is enjoying a visit from her cousin, Mrs. P. Michel-son, of Grayling.

T. E. Douglas was on a duck hunt at St. Helena this week. He brought back a goodly number.

Jack Frost has been a pleasant caller recently and the forests are robed in all its autumn splendor.

Jos. Simma is in his element again as he has another state reward road to build. O, you highway commissioner!

We are pleased to note the arrival of Jacob Truax at his ranch near here. His smiling face is always welcome.

Mrs. Douglas and children, and Mrs. Stillwagon and children, spent a few days in West Branch at the old home last week. They were accompanied on their return by Miss Husted.

Maple Forest township is building a state reward road extending from the mill bridge to C. W. Ward's residence. Mr. Ward made a very generous donation of \$5,000 toward it, while Dr. Underhill and A. C. Ryburn each gave \$100 with a promise of more if needed. T. E. Douglas company gave \$200. Work began on the road this morning.

"Tommy"

Don't trifle with a cold. Is good advice for prudent men and women. It may be vital in case of a child. There is nothing better than Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for coughs and colds in children. It is safe and pure. For sale by all dealers.

Cheney Pickings.

Mrs. Susan Funck is on the sick list.

Ethel Love was a Cheney caller last Saturday.

Mr. Domplier has a fine piece of alfalfa, seeded last spring.

Mrs. Chas. Corwin took in the fair at West Branch last Thursday.

Mrs. Frank Barber started for New York state last Thursday to visit friends.

Mrs. Nina Richardson, of Central lake, is visiting her mother, Mrs. E. J. Phillips.

Mrs. Perry-Ostrander has gone to Kalkaska to visit her daughter, Mrs. Frank Whipple.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. Amidon, of Grayling, were callers at W. C. Johnson's last Saturday.

PICKERS.

The best plaster. A piece of flannel dampened with Chamberlain's Liniment and bound on over the affected parts is superior to a plaster and costs only one-tenth as much. For sale by all dealers.

At Sable Valley Breezes.

Mr. and Mrs. F. Ireland were in town Saturday.

Dave Kneeth gave a dance in his new house Saturday night.

Ernest Babbitt and wife were shopping in Grayling, Saturday.

Flora Stephan, attending school in Grayling, was neither absent nor tardy during the month.

Sadness reigned in the valley on account of the death of our dear friend and neighbor, Archibald Pym.

Henry Feldhauser and Henry Stephan brought some fat lambs to the meat market, Tuesday, for your dinner this week.

The partridges should be fat this fall, as there is the largest crop of thorn apples that we have seen in thirty years, also lots of acorns.

D. R. M.

Lame back is one of the most common forms of muscular rheumatism. A few applications of Chamberlain's Liniment will give relief. For sale by all dealers.

Beaver Creek Breezes.

Mr. John Hanna spent a few days last week at the Saginaw exposition.

Mrs. George Belmore who has been very sick at her home, was removed to the hospital at Grayling, Monday.

Mr. John Johnson and wife, of Lansing, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Mortensen, Sunday. They were looking around Beaver Creek with the thought of purchasing a home.

The threshing machine, while in operation at Mr. Moon's, met with an accident caused by the introduction into the separator of a board. The damage could be repaired.

It's Equal Don't Exist.

No one has ever made a salve, ointment or balm to compare with Buckle's Arnica Salve. It's the one perfect healer of Cuts, Corns, Burns, Bruises, Boreds, Scalds, Boils, Ulcers, Eczema, Salt Rheum, For Sore Throat, Cold Sore, Chapped Hand, Corns, Itch, etc. Unsurpassed for Piles. Try it. Only 25c at A. M. Lewis & Co.

WANTED SENSE OF DIRECTION

Stranger in City Felt it Imperative That He Should Get His Bearings.

The stolidity of the new arrival is almost indifference to gorgeous views, yet immediately after registering at the skyscraper hotel he asked to be taken to the roof.

"View?" said he to a protesting friend. "No, it isn't the view I want. I don't care a rap for that. I want to get a sense of direction."

"In a city you can get that much better from a great height than from the street. Down there the buildings all about kind of obfuscate you. You get the points of the compass mixed at the start, and never get them straightened out. That has been my experience in several cities."

"In London and Boston I cannot tell north from south to this day when the sun is not shining, and in Chicago I am not much better off. I lived in that town for two years, and, of course, learned to reason out the cardinal points, but I never felt them. If I had obeyed instinct when I wanted to go west I would have walked straight into Lake Michigan."

"Nowadays when reaching a strange city I take my bearings from a lofty tower. I expect to live in New York the rest of my natural days, and I do not wish constantly to have to combat the feeling that when I start to Albany I ought to board a Staten Island ferryboat."—New York Times.

FOR ALL AMERICANS CHEW

Belief So Largely Prevalent in Europe Seems to Have Some Slight Foundation.

While at Oberammergau last summer, a returned traveler says, we stayed in the last house on Dalsenberger street with three delightful old maids, one of whom, from a residence in London, could speak English very well. When we left, Fraulein Naef, the lady who spoke English, with a beaming fraulein on either hand, presented each of us with a stick of chewing gum, saying that although they did not chew gum themselves, they understood that Americans were very fond of it.

For a minute we were utterly nonplussed. We could not tell these dear new friends our opinion of gum chewers in general and those who chewed gum in Europe in particular, so we accepted the gift in the same spirit of kindly hospitality in which it was given, and my stick of gum is now among my treasured souvenirs of my stay under the great Mount Kotel.

That they had not formed their opinion on insufficient evidence I realized for during the Passion Play, when I raised by seat to recover my dropped handkerchief, I observed no less than four chews of gum adhering to the bottom of the seat.—Youth's Companion.

AMERICAN INFLUENCE IN CUBA.

Writing to the London Times, Sydney Brooks tells of his discovery of Cuba. From a plague spot it has become one of the cleanest and healthiest countries on earth—"American energy and Cuban docility and good sense, go to be thanked for that."

There is no doubt about the thanks due to American energy. As to the Cuban good sense and docility that may be credited, also, but it is to be remembered that there was not much room for anything else than compliance with American orders when the cleaning up began. Governor (now General) Wood was at the seat of authority, and American troops occupied the island. There was no room left for anything but obedience and a good job it was, too! Moreover, one of the conditions we imposed was that the premises should be kept clean. We simply were not going to have a plague spot at our doors any longer. The world owes America for a clean Cuba; and, as Mr. Brooks testifies, there is political peace because the Cubans do not want another intervention. Cuba to the world owes us a peaceful Cuba. Altogether our record there is one of which many people could be proud.

Such a Helpful Daughter.

It is near enough as the compass points to say that this man's grocery store is in the Western Addition and that he is of Teutonic extraction. (No, it isn't going to be a cheese store.) You were wrong, my dear James.)

In the neighborhood are many families who trade with the grocer, and who have done so ever since he established his store there, some years before the fire.

One of these women, a Mrs. Underwood, went into the store the other day and paid for her purchases with a check for \$5. The next morning she remembered that she hadn't indorsed the check, and so hurried over to the grocer to catch it before it went to the bank.

"I'm so sorry," she explained to him, "but I forgot to indorse that check yesterday."

"Oh, don't all right," he answered, cheerily. "My daughter she indorses it. She can write!"—San Francisco Chronicle.

Splendidezza.

Dad Wilkins—They say Sadie and Dad's wedding will outdo all records for splendidezza?

Pa Hines—You bet it will. We're going to get that stranger from the hotel 'twear his dress suit an' mix with the crowd.

Is the World Growing Better?

Many things go to prove that it is. The way thousands are trying to help others is proof. Among them is Mrs. W. W. Gould, of Pittsburg, N. H.

Winding good health by taking Electric Bitters, she now advises other sufferers, everywhere, to take them. "For years I suffered with stomach and kidney trouble," she writes. "Every medicine I used failed till I took Electric Bitters. But this great remedy helped me wonderfully. They'll help any woman. They're the best medicine for stomach and kidney troubles. Try them. You'll see. 50c at A. M. Lewis & Co."

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IF WE TRIED to tell you about all the beautiful clothing in both Women's and Men's lines, that we have purchased for our fall and winter trade, it would tell you "only as much as could be told in words."

The printed pages could never satisfactorily describe the beauty of our lines, the elegance, the attractiveness of this season's offerings.

There is only one way and that is to call and personally inspect our fall showing.

Of course, we are merchants; and like to sell our goods. On the other hand we are glad to give you our best efforts in showing goods whether you desire to buy or not.

Ladies' Suits
A wide range French Serges napped Cheviots, British Worsteds, Diagonals, Broadcloths, \$12.00 to \$25.00
Long Coats
In Plush, Satelette and Caracul, \$10.00 to \$25.00

Ladies' Coats
The new Fall and Winter Coats, Cheviots, Serges, Tweeds, Vienna Cloths, in gray, black and novelties reverse Scotch Plaids, only \$7.00 to \$25.00

All sizes—Little Ladies, Stouts and Regulars.

A. KRAUS & SON

Leading Dry Goods and Clothing Store

Tragedy.
"You have the name of regarding all your acquaintances with suspicion."
"I'm sorry to hear it. I'm not in the least suspicious."

"That's good news. Let me have a five-spot until tomorrow, will you?"



SUNDAY EXCURSION

via
Michigan Central
(Returning the same day)
Sunday, Oct. 8, 1911
TO
DETROIT \$2.25

Train leaves 1:55 a. m.
Tickets accepted in coaches only.
Baggage will not be checked on these tickets. No. 247-Oct 5-11

Lily White Flour

"THE FLOUR THE BEST COOKS USE"

100% Pure

MAKES BEST BREAD

WANT AD COLUMN

NOTICE TO ADVERTISERS.

The AVALANCHE will run, FREE OF CHARGE, for residents of Grayling and vicinity, "Help Wanted" and "Situation Wanted" advertisements. If you want a position or have one for somebody, tell it to the AVALANCHE and with no charge to you, we will tell all the AVALANCHE readers about it. The advertisements are limited to fifteen words. Advertisements from employment agencies and for "Salesmen," "Cavassers," "Agents" or "Demonstrators" wanted, are not included in this free offer, but will be charged for at regular rates.

All other want advertisements inserted at the rate of one cent per word for first insertion and one-half cent per word for each subsequent insertion, with a minimum charge of fifteen cents for the first insertion.

LET US KNOW WHEN YOUR WANTS HAVE BEEN SUPPLIED.

WANTED—Two experienced waiters at depot restaurant.

WANTED—A housekeeper. Middle-aged, preferred. Inquire at Avalanche office.

WANTED—Position as fireman or engineer. With references. Address Horace A. Watchorn, City. P. O. box number twenty-eight.

WANTED—A position in this locality, by a young man of good habits and willing to work. Send communications for the above to the AVALANCHE office.

WANTED—Good Housekeeping Magazine requires the services of a representative in Grayling to look after subscription renewals and to extend circulation by special methods which have proved unusually successful. Salary and commission. Previous experience desirable, but not essential. Whole time or spare time. Address, with references, J. S. Fairbanks, Good Housekeeping Magazine, 381 Fourth Ave., New York City.

WANTED—The McCormick Nursery Co., Monroe, Michigan, want a salesman in this section. Free outfit. Salary weekly, experience unnecessary. We advise any reliable party wanting employment to write them. Their specialties are the Bing Cherry, October Purple Plum, Blue Rambler Rose and the best European Impatiens. If you want trees or shrubbery send for their "Tree Talk" and new illustrated catalog. Mention this paper. sep7-6v

Gives Aid to Strikers.

Sometimes liver, kidneys and bowels seem to go on a strike and refuse to work right. Then you need those pleasant little strikebreakers—Dr. King's New Life Pills—to give them natural aid and gently compel proper action. Excellent health soon follows. Try them. 25c at A. M. Lewis & Co.

1878. 1911. The Pioneer Store

With you for over a quarter of a century.

FIRST CLASS GOODS!
RIGHT PRICES!

Always our Motto.

We are headquarters for

Groceries & Provisions

DRY GOODS, FURNISHING GOODS

SHOES, HARDWARE

FLOUR, FEED

LOGS, LUMBER, SHINGLES

BUILDING MATERIAL OF EVERY KIND

Farm Produce

BOUGHT AT HIGHEST MARKET PRICE.

Salling, Hanson Co.

Manistee & N. E. R. R.

M. C. R. R.

Time Card
In effect Sept. 14, 1911.

Read Down. Read Up.

P. M. P. M.
10.00 12.25 Iv Grayling ar 1.30 8.55
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GOING NORTH. GOING SOUTH.
Leave Grayling. Leave Grayling:
No. 91. 6:05 am No. 155. 6:10 am
No. 157. 1:50 pm No. 202. 1:00 pm
No. 201. 1:45 pm No. 206. 2:25 pm
No. 207. 4:20 pm

ZEMO MAKES ASTONISHING ECZEMA CURES.

"WE PROVE IT"

Every day ZEMO gives relief and cures men, women and children in every city and town in America whose skins are on fire with torturing ECZEMA rashes and other itching, burning, scaly, and crusty skin and scalp humors.

ZEMO and ZEMO (ANTISEPTIC) SOAP, two fine preparations will give you quick relief that you will feel like a new person.

We give you three reasons why we recommend and endorse ZEMO and ZEMO SOAP for all skin and scalp eruptions.

1st. They are clean, scientific preparations that give universal satisfaction and are pleasant and agreeable to use at all times.

2nd. They are not experiments, but are proven cures for every form of skin or scalp affections whether an infants or grown persons.

3rd. They work on a new principle. They do not glaze over the surface, but they penetrate to the seat of the trouble and draw the germ life from underneath the skin and destroy it. In this way a complete cure is effected in any case of SKIN OR SCALP ERUPTION.

Endorsed and sold in Grayling by the A. M. Lewis & Co. drug store.

Billingsness is due to a disordered condition of the stomach. Chamberlain's Tablets are essentially a stomach medicine, intended especially to act on that organ; to cleanse it, strengthen it, tone and invigorate it; to regulate the liver and to banish biliousness—positively and effectually. For sale by all dealers.

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Crawford Avalanche.

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, OCT. 5

Family Recipes

Combined in the Right Way

To properly compound prescriptions these days an adequate stock of drugs is required, and knowledge of how to use them is also necessary.

New remedies and all advance in this direction creates no problems for the pharmacist.

We have the drugs and expert pharmacists to fill your order, and greatest of care will be used.

A. M. Lewis & Co

Local and Neighborhood News.

Dr. Insley was called to Gaylord Monday to perform a surgical operation.

For Sale—About 30 or 40 pigs from 6 to 10 weeks old. T. E. Douglas, Lovella.

Mrs. George Belmore is confined at Mercy hospital with an attack of appendicitis.

Last year the profits of the state fair were \$14,000. This year they will reach \$30,000.

Mr. John Larson and family went to Saginaw, Monday morning, to spend a few days with friends.

The Ladies Aid society will meet at the home of Mrs. Charles Robinson Friday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Gardner, of Frederic, spent Sunday afternoon with Rev. Fr. Riess.

P. A. E. has a case in justice court. First time in over a hundred years that he has been sued, and he doesn't like it.

Mrs. Geo. S. Dyer returned Monday morning to her home in Sterling after a few days visit with her husband and other relatives.

Victor Martin, of Waters, was operated upon last week for appendicitis at Mercy hospital and is getting along finely.

Mrs. Ellen Walker, who has been visiting friends and relatives in the city, returned to her home in Alger, Monday morning.

Miss Josephine MacTavish, of Santa, Texas, visited with Rev. Riess. She was well impressed with "the only town on the map."

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Lewis entertained a small party of friends at their home last Monday evening. Five hundred was the program.

Salling, Hanson Company are ready to book your order for coal for the coming winter. Order now to insure prompt delivery.

The building of new cement side walks continues when the weather permits. At present they are operating down towards the base ball grounds.

A large attendance and good music made the dancing party at the opera house, given by the Noble Six, an enjoyable one. Everybody seemed boiling over with fun.

Rev. Fr. Riess says that it is no such thing that his dog was found in Frank Peck's chicken coop, for it has been dead for several weeks. So we claim that the joke is on Mr. Peck.

Rev. A. R. Graves has been assigned to the pastorate of the M. E. church at Indian River and is moving his family this week. Mrs. Graves is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Ivey of this city.

For Sale—Five room house, with wood shed and small stable, \$210.00. Also, a small addition, south side. For particulars address Grayling P. O. box 212. Also second hand covered buggy and harness. sep28-2w

Mr. A. Gronoff, in a letter to us sends his kindest regards to all friends. We are glad to extend his courteous greetings through our columns. He was formerly clerk in Salling, Hanson company's store and is well known here. At present he is secretary and treasurer of Gronoff & Mank's Lumber company, Muncie, Indiana.

Now is a nice time to set out pansy plants. Select a place where they get the sunshine but a short time in the morning. They want cold ground to do well. Those setting out plants now will be rewarded with plenty of blossoms this fall, and if they dig down under the snow next winter the will find these pretty face-like blossoms looking up and smiling at them. Want that by worth while? Then can be secured from Grayling Green House.

FOR SALE—Fine (thaca) double-barrel, hammerless shot gun. Cost \$45.00, for sale cheap. F. G. Walton.

House and lot for sale. Mrs. Sparks. Inquire of John Larson. 9-21-11

We feel like the foolish hair-bell, "too much rain" wish it would get hot."

The condition of Mrs. C. J. Hathaway's health doesn't seem to be improving.

We are indebted to Governor Osborn for a splendid photograph of himself. Thanks.

New and second hand cutters for sale at Langley's barn. Either single or double style. 9-7-11

Revs. John McDonald, of Bay City, and A. Webber, of Cheboygan, were visitors at Fr. Riess for a few days.

Train leaving Grayling at seven o'clock a. m. for Mackinac and returning at eleven a. m., on the Michigan Central, has been discontinued.

October is usually one of the pleasantest months of the year in Michigan. It will have to "get busy" if it sustains its reputation this year.

Gentlemen: Have your clothes made by a competent tailor. When you are ready for a new suit, see A. E. Hendrickson, over Collier's restaurant, 6m.

Commencing with the first Sunday in October, the Sunday services at St. Mary's church will be as follows: Low mass at 8:00 a. m., and high mass at 10:00 a. m.

While A. Taylor was doing carpenter work near the Danish church last Saturday, he accidentally stepped on an old nail which has caused him severe pain, and stopped his work.

Circuit court will convene next Monday. The following cases are on the docket: The people vs. Ira Clement, rape; the people vs. Edward Kellogg, appeal; the people vs. Peter Miller, escaped from jail.

Peter Jorgenson was in Gaylord last week Friday and purchased a pair of road-horses, which he intends to add to his livery. They are five and six years old and he says they can go some.

Postmaster M. A. Bates is attending the National Postmaster convention which is in session in Indianapolis, Ind. He was sent as a delegate to represent our State Postmasters' association.

An extensive library does not make a lawyer; a sanctimonious face a minister, an elaborate sign a doctor, or a pair of wings an angel. The world judges us by what we are, and not by what we seem.

Miss Minnie Kraus, a graduate of the Thomas Normal Training school of Detroit, has accepted a position as dietitian of the Epworth Hospital of South Bend, Ind. and expects to take up her duties October 1st.

Miss Yula Belanger was called to Kawkawlin, on account of the serious illness of her father, Monday morning. Her friends regret her going, as she is an accomplished music teacher and piano player.

All members of the L. O. T. M. M. are requested to be present at the regular meeting Friday, October sixth, Great Deputy Commander Stella Delmas will be with us. Matters of interest to be discussed.

There will be a special election to be held in the main room of high school building on Friday evening, October thirteenth at 7:30 o'clock, for the purpose of raising an additional fund with which to build and maintain a primary school on the south side in this village.

The Ladies Union of the Presbyterian church will resume their meetings Friday, October sixth, at the home of Mrs. Schmidt. Society entertained by Mrs. Samuel Phelps, Jr. and Mrs. Holgar Schmidt. A general attendance is desired. Ladies of the congregation are invited.

Miss Jones of the eighth grade, lost a bunch of keys fastened to a key ring, about two weeks ago, somewhere between the schoolhouse and down town and she expects us to find them. She is in such serious need of them that we believe that the person returning them to her or this office would receive her everlasting gratitude.

Maple Forest township is building a state reward road extending from the mill bridge to the residence of C. W. Ward. Mr. Ward made a very generous donation of \$3,000 toward it, while Dr. Underhill and A. C. Ryburn each gave \$100 with promise of more if needed. T. E. Douglas company gave \$200. Work began on the road Monday.

Our policeman on his beat went sound asleep, and the enemy to him did creep his weapon of defense did take and hurriedly made his escape. When, alas, poor Mike awoke and found for want of a club was broke, and his clothes full of rain were soaked; he polished his buttons with a right good will and exclaimed "Hurrah, I'm a policeman still!"

It is amusing to see how sorry the democrats are for President Taft. The reciprocity treaty was rejected by Canada! Terrible! President Taft is one of our great presidents and the better we know him the more we love him. He is honest in his opinions, and his long experience as a lawyer and a jurist qualifies his judgment far above that of the average reader and men who are in politics for political reasons only. It looks to the careful reader as though he would be an easy victor in the coming campaign.

For Sale—The entire stock of the Bates livery barn. Horses, harness, buggies, cutters, sleighs, robes, blankets and also farm tools. 1w

Mrs. Floyd L. Taylor, of Frederic, was in town the forepart of the week, visiting friends and relatives.

R. H. Peterson, editor and proprietor of the, Copemish Progress, was a pleasant caller at our office last Saturday.

Olaf Sorenson & Sons tell of a few nice hot things that they are prepared to serve their patrons this season. Read their ad.

A new style of fountain pen is out with a combination pencil tip on opposite end. Samples of these may be seen at A. C. Olson's.

Our county jail is full. Last week it was necessary to provide a cot in the basement for a fellow who was too drunk to be at liberty. A stone yard or some place to put these fellows to work would earn some money for the county and would keep some bums out of our town.

Monday, Mrs. W. Havens, record keeper for the L. O. T. M. lodge, received two checks from the head Macabee camp, made out to John Isenhauer and Miss Meta Hatch. These were payments of the death loss of Mrs. John Isenhauer who died Monday, September 15th.

The one day Michigan Farmers' institutes that will be held in this county will be held as follows: October 18, at Beaver Creek, at town hall; October 19, South Branch township, at Hickey school house; October 20, at Maple Forest township, at Gleaner hall. Good programs will be given at each of these meetings.

Doctor and Mrs. O. Palmer are still out on their visiting trip. They took in the state fair at Detroit, and have been visiting friends in Hudson, Pittsford, Jonesville, Hillsdale, Mich., and several cities in Ohio. They seem to be enjoying themselves, except that Mrs. Palmer has been having a severe cold. She will be all right when she gets back to this climate again. They are expected home some time this week.

When you pull down the town in which is your home, you are pulling down yourself, and when you build it up you are building up yourself and your neighbor. Try and banish from your mind the mistaken idea that all good things are away off in some other locality. Give your town all the praise that it can legitimately bear. It certainly will do you no harm and will cost you nothing, and above all patronize your home institutions including the printing office.

One of the many interesting attractions at the land show held at Saginaw last week, was the exhibit of the Northeastern Michigan Development Bureau. This exhibit covered the whole south end of the large armory, and was made up of products of the farms in the seventeen counties, comprising the Bureau's territory. There were fine fruits, squashes, pumpkins, the finest potatoes that grow and other vegetables, also grains grasses and straw, all neatly arranged, and presenting a picture that attracted the attention of thousands of visitors. Len J. Patterson, of Tawas City, was in charge of the exhibit. No doubt, another year will see much more interest taken in this wonderful exhibit.

FREE—One five-seated automobile, six pianos, and five diamond rings to be given away absolutely free. For full particulars address P. S. Coor, 1407 Woodside Avenue, Bay City, Mich. 1w

Grayling South Side. Mr. and Mrs. Truman Ingram are visiting in Rose City.

Mrs. Wm. Cook, of Alger, has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Clarence VanAmberg.

Mrs. Levi Hatch returned from Charlotte, Michigan, and is visiting Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Clark.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Larson and children have returned home from their trip to Southern Michigan.

Mr. F. O. Lawson, of Pontiac, Michigan, was here visiting his sister, Mrs. C. Ackerman, over Sunday.

Mr. C. Ackerman had the misfortune of getting hit with a board, which confined him to his home for a week.

MEMO.

You are not experimenting on your self when you take Chamberlain's Cough Remedy for a cold as that preparation has won its great reputation and extensive sale by its remarkable cure of colds, and can always be depended upon. It is equally valuable for adults and children and may be given to children with implicit confidence as it contains no harmful drug. Sold by all dealers.

Notice.

To the electors of School District No. 1 Township of Grayling County of Crawford, State of Michigan.

Special district meeting for the purpose of voting to raise additional school funds with which to establish and maintain a primary school on the south side of said district during the winter term of school 1911-1912. Meeting to be called in the main room of the high school building, Friday, Oct. 13th, 1911, at 7:30 o'clock.

Signed

MELVIN A. BARRS, Sec. B'd of Education.

Dated Oct. 3d, 1911.

Bigamist in Luok.

A seaman is in custody at Hull, England, charged with marrying five wives. The magistrate said he might console himself with the thought that he is safer looked up than at liberty in the circumstances.

Bill of Fare

Hot Cocoa..... 5c
Hot Coffee..... 5c
Beef Tea..... 10c
Tomatoe Bouillon..... 10c
Clam Bouillon..... 10c
Chicken Bouillon..... 10c
Saratoga Flakes or Nabisco with each order.

Here is a nice, neat place to meet your friends

OLAF SORENSON
AND SON'S.

Cost of Submarine Cable.
The average cost a mile of a transatlantic submarine cable is \$1,200.

Notice.

The Board of Supervisors of the County of Crawford will convene for their annual meeting, at the court house in the village of Grayling, on Monday the 9th day of October 1911, at 1 o'clock p. m. All claims against the county must be filed with the clerk by Oct. 11.

JOHN J. NIEDERER, County Clerk.
Dated this 5th day of October 1911.

Miss Edith McPhee

TEACHER OF PIANO

Miss McPhee is a graduate of the Michigan Conservatory of music. She has decided to remain in Grayling and invites all who are interested in learning correct method of playing Piano to consult her at the home of Mrs. A. M. Lewis.

Phone 463

Chicken Day

Place your order on Friday for chickens to be delivered Saturday

Fish Day

Place your order on Thursday for fish to be delivered Friday

Meat Day

Choice cuts every day

F. H. MILKS

A Genuine Mill-End Sale!

We had in our shop a lot of small pieces of mouldings, too small for large frames; these are now made up, fitted with nice pictures and offered, complete with glass at

Only 45 cents

They make beautiful small pictures, suitable for presents for anybody, old or young.

Sorenson's Furniture Store
Grayling, Michigan.

FALL DISPLAY

Of the season's advanced showing of

Men's Women's and Children's Garments

We have been most particular this season in selecting the most advanced styles. We want you to make a fair comparison of style, quality and material in the garments we are showing, and price considered, we will warrant you will make your selection for your Fall and Winter Suit, Coat or Fur of us

Schloss Bros., Baltimore,

famous clothes for men in this season's newest patterns and colors. For the man who wants distinction in his appearance, we want you to examine our line of suits and overcoats.

Ladies' Suits

in the new fall models are now in and ready for inspection. We will be pleased to show them.

Shoes for Men, Women and Children

in every new last, in gun metal or patent, in both lace or buttons.



Our childrens school shoes are from the Star Brand factories, warranted absolutely solid.

Cold Weather

reminds one of warm bed clothes. Our line of comforters and blankets is the largest in the city.

Outing Flannels

in light or dark colors at 6c, 7c and 10c

Ladies' Sweaters

the new styles with roll collars in red, gray and white.

Double Faced Coats

A striking combination is obtained by trimming collars, revers and cuffs with the reverse of material. Also caracul and seal plush are shown.

Millinery Offering

Trimmed hats for street or dress wear; copies of imported hats in black and all the new fall colors. Our prices are far below those asked elsewhere.

Grayling Mercantile Co.

The Quality Store.

CASSIDY'S

Model Bread

PURE AND WHOLESOME

BETTER BREAD
than your mother
EVER made

SOLD By

R. Brink, H. Petersen, F. H. Milks, G. W. Slade and P. Johnson.

Read our Free Want Ad. Offer on the opposite page.

Table Supplies

should be clean, sanitary and of good quality.

Should be purchased from stores that are kept in good order.

Foods properly protected from dust and dirt and handled by clean clerks.

We are striving every day to improve this condition in our store.

We want you to come in and learn of the splendid service that we are giving our customers.

BRINK'S GROCERY



WHETHER you live in the city or country, you'll find no .22 caliber repeating rifle like the Martin Model 1897.
For the city man it is a perfect companion for the vacation or outing trip. It's light, takes down and nests in a small space. The ammunition is inexpensive. The gun can be used with .22 short for target and is equally capable of handling .22 long or .22 rifle cartridges without change of mechanism.
On the farm the rifle is a necessity. The short cartridge is sufficient for quail, quail and small game and the long rifle cartridge makes the Martin Model 1897 a decisive weapon for deer, foxes, hawks, etc. up to 200 yards.
The "Martin Book" of 128 pages, with handsome art cover, is sent full of up-to-date information for all gun-lovers and game folk. Description of all Martin repeaters. 25c. \$2.00 for 5 stamps.
42 W. 4th St., The Martin Firearms Co., New Haven, Conn.

Methods of Calf Raising

By H. W. NORTON, Michigan Experiment Station



Calves Being Raised for Breeding Stock Should Be Kept Healthy and Growing, Not Fat.

The calf may be allowed to suck its dam a few times or for the first day or so, but should then be put in a separate pen. If the calf is strong and the cow's udder is in good condition, it is best to separate them the first or second day. If the calf is weak, it is better to leave it with the cow, as it will feed often and grow stronger, or if the cow's udder is inflamed, the calf will help to bring it back to proper condition. In any case the calf should be given the first milk or colostrum, as it has a stimulating and corrective effect upon the system. The first few days it is best to feed the calf three times a day, though it is not absolutely necessary. The milk should be fed in a clean pail, directly after milking, while still at body temperature. For an average sized calf, weighing 70 to 75 pounds at birth, 8 to 10 pounds a day, divided equally between the feeding periods, is sufficient to begin with. The amount fed should be increased gradually and great care taken to avoid over-feeding. At the end of two weeks the calf may be given 12 to 16 pounds daily, divided equally between the morning and night feedings. In case scours develop, the feed should be reduced immediately, cutting down at least one-half, and, if necessary, medical treatment resorted to.

The time for beginning the substitution of skim milk in place of the whole milk will vary, depending upon condition. Whole milk feeding is necessarily expensive, and should not be continued longer than necessary to produce good results. When feeding for dairy heifers to be kept and grown on the farm, the skim-milk supply may begin at two or three weeks of age, but where it is desired to produce heavier weights at an early age, it is better to feed whole milk up to four or five weeks before starting the substitution. The change should be made gradually so that the calf's stomach may adjust itself to the different conditions without trouble. Begin by placing one pound of skim-milk with an equal amount of whole milk at each feed the first day, and replace two pounds the second day, and so on. The amount of skimmed milk may be increased to 20

pounds per day, but more than this is not profitable. When it is two or three weeks old, the calf can be taught to eat a little grain by throwing a handful in the pail after it has finished drinking the milk. The grain should not be put in the milk as the calf will swallow it with the milk without much mastication and it will not be properly digested. The calf will soon learn to look for the grain, and at five or six weeks of age should be eating a pound or so a day. A good grain mixture for feeding in this way may be made of three parts of corn meal, three parts ground oats, one part bran and one part oil cake, by weight and the amount fed should be increased gradually so as to allow from one-half to one pound per 100 pounds weight of the calf. This is liberal feeding, and should keep the calf in good condition and give good gains. Lighter feeding may be followed in many cases with good results and less cost, as in raising dairy heifers on the farm.

Hay feeding should be started along with the grain. Alfalfa, if it is available, or good, bright clover hay of fine quality, is best for calves. It is a good plan at hay time to select some of the best and finest of the clover and put it aside, especially for calf feeding. Alfalfa and the clovers, especially the former, are very rich in protein, the most essential element for growth and development of the body. Hay feeding should be increased gradually like the grain, but the calves may be fed all they will eat up clean. Silage and roots may be included in the ration with good results, but should not be fed until the skim-milk ration is well established, and should be dropped from the feed in case scours develop.

Full calves may be turned on grass in the spring as soon as possible, but some grain feeding should be continued even then, depending upon the condition of the pasture. The calves should have access to water after they are three or four months old, as the milk furnished will not be sufficient for them to drink, and during hot weather, especially, they will drink considerable quantities of water in addition to the milk.

HIS POLICY DEFINED BARRIERS ARE TO REMAIN

PRESIDENT TAFT STANDS SQUARELY BEFORE COUNTRY.

For Tariff Revision, but This Must Be Done in an Intelligent Manner—Attitude, Is Both Wise and Statesmanlike.

President Taft gave at full length and in plain language in successive messages his reasons for vetoing the woolen, free list, and cotton tariff bills. As he said in discussing those bills at Grand Rapids there was little for him to do except to sum up in one address what he had said to congress in three messages.

The reasons given therein lose none of their force in the restatement. Indeed, the public will be impressed more forcibly by them.

The major premise of the president's argument is that he, the Republican party, the progressives included, the business organizations of the country, and the last congress were committed to the proposition that there should not be a revision of tariff schedules without accurate information, and that a tariff commission should be the best agency to procure it. Nobody will dispute that.

The minor premise is that the vetoed bills were prepared without accurate information. One was hurriedly gotten up in haste, and another was a compromise with a far-reaching statesmanlike conclusion is that all the bills had to be vetoed.

The bills are dead. Whoever reads the president's analysis of their shortcomings will agree that their death was deserved. The president did not confine himself to them. He defined clearly his general tariff policy, thus:

"I am in favor of the reduction of the tariff wherever it can be done and still giving a living measure of protection to those industries of the country that need it. But I insist that we

have reached now a point in the history of tariff making when every one ought to realize that the tariff should not be changed and business disturbed, except upon information which shall enable us to pass laws that will disserve it least. Our whole business system rests upon the protective tariff basis. The real hope of men who are in favor of lowering duties is to pursue the policy of securing accurate information to keep the tariff rates down as low as possible consistent with the life of the business protected. The natural operation of the tariff under those conditions and American ingenuity is to continue to reduce the cost of production, and that in itself will secure, if we adhere to the policy, a reduction of the tariff rates from time to time, but to cut them now 'with blacksmith's tools' is to invite in the next two or four years a revision of feeling, and then a recurrence of higher rates and the old system of high tariffs. This I would deprecate, and so far as I can with the powers given me by the constitution I propose to stop such a movement and to secure a reduction in accordance with the principles of the Republican platform, and on information accurate and impartial."

Surely this is sound Republican doctrine and should be acceptable to all who profess allegiance to the Republican party. It is sound economic doctrine which should appeal to all who are for low tariff duties, but who would not have the industries of the country injured by headless and faulty legislation.

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Result of Canada's Verdict on Reciprocity Proposition Reflects No Discredit to the President.

Canada has slammed the door in our faces. But as we had been holding the door shut for forty years it hardly behooves us to adopt a very contemptuous attitude. It is true Canada has had the benefit of experience and ought by this time to know better. Yet there is a certain splendor in her folly. Only a people with the insolent confidence and heedless passion of youth would turn away from such an opportunity—the opportunity freely to trade with 90,000,000 of the richest and most extravagant people on earth.

Of course the talk of annexation was unbecomingly, unfortunately given color by the untimely jocular chauvinism of Mr. Champ Clark and the possibly calculated echo of Mr. Mann and others in congress. And it is unfortunate that the conservative campaign in its lack of sound economic reasons should have felt it necessary and found it profitable to work upon national prejudice and inflame national enmity against a friendly neighbor. That is the aspect of the reciprocity episode which is, without mitigation, deplorable.

So far as the failure of the convention is concerned it will please millions of Americans and be of advantage to at least thousands. But as the benefits to be expected by the United States would have been very gradual, registered and very broadly spread, disappointment cannot be very deep. The reciprocity measure was one of broad-spectrum and a far-reaching statesmanlike certain to work to the advantage of the two peoples, without any of those sinister complications which conservative chauvinism imagined. But since it is beaten the United States will continue to thrive, despite the stupid commercial barrier between us.

President Taft and Premier Laurier attempted a piece of constructive statesmanship. It is nothing to their discredit that it failed. History will honor them for it. —Chicago Tribune.

FARMERS AND FREE TRADE

Agriculturists Must Realize That Their Interests Are One With the Community.

No other farmers on earth are able to consume so much of necessities, comforts and even luxuries. No others, for instance, have so many pianos and telephones in their houses, and carriages and automobiles on the road. No others have so many of their sons and daughters at good schools and colleges. No others have so diminished the amount of human toil by the use of labor-saving appliances. No others have so much money in the banks or have been able to mortgage their farms with such rapidity. And this is due to the diversification of industry, at which our farmers aimed in establishing our protective policy for the good of their own class.

It is true that we have short-sighted and narrow-minded farmers, who begrudge the manufacturer his profit, and think that somehow whatever anyone gains must be their loss. It is to this sort of farmer that the free trader makes his appeal, just as the Socialist appeals to the same sort among our workmen. For free trade, as one of its English organs admits, is an appeal to low and selfish motives, which leads them to fancy that they can sever their own interests from that of the community. This class, no doubt, will welcome the "Memorandum" as enabling them to buy cheaply and yet expect to sell grain and meat at the old prices. It will not take long for them to discover that free traders always juggle with prices, by fastening attention on purchases and distracting it from sales. It is rather awkward, for the prices of farm produce, before they take up those of manufactured goods. It looks like driving a wedge with the butt foremost. Robert Ellis Thompson in The Irish World.

President's Attitude Correct.

Secretary Fisher's visit to Alaska has resulted in the dissemination of information that was needed for intelligent discussion. It appears to be a pervading truth that Controller Bay confers monopoly upon no one, that President Taft has been proceeding along lines which safeguard the people, and that the racket which was kicked up about Controller Bay was by no means justified, except perhaps on the ground of factional political expediency.

In his great western swing President Taft will cover 13,000 miles, and a lucky 18,000 it will be; for with every stop and every speech he will win new friends for himself and his party.

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AN ALTERNATIVE.



Fagan—Next time I pass with a lady, Hagan, you've got to remove her hat!

Hagan—And suppose I refuse?

Fagan—Then, indeed, you've got to remove her coat.

EZEMA ITCHED SO BADLY I COULDN'T STAND IT.

"I suffered with eczema on my neck for about six months, beginning by little 'pimples' breaking out. I kept scratching till the blood came. I kept getting worse, I couldn't sleep nights any more. I kept itching for about a month, then I went to a doctor and got some liquid to take. It seemed as if I was going to get better. The itching stopped for about three days, but when it started again, was even worse than before. The eczema itched so badly I couldn't stand it any more. I went to a doctor and he gave me some medicine, but didn't do any good. We have been having Cuticura Remedies in the house, so I decided to try them. I had been using Cuticura Soap, so I got me a box of Cuticura Ointment, and washed off the affected part with Cuticura Soap three times a day, and then put the Cuticura Ointment on. The first day I put it on, it relieved me of itching so I could sleep all that night. It took about a week, then I could see the scab come off. I kept the treatment up for three weeks, and my eczema was cured."

"My brother got his face burned with gun-powder, and he used Cuticura Soap and Ointment. The people all thought he would have scars, but you can't see that he ever had his face burned. It was simply awful to look at before the Cuticura Remedies (Soap and Ointment) cured it."

(Signed) Miss Elizabeth Gelsbach, Forest City, Ark., Oct. 16, 1910. Although Cuticura Soap and Ointment are sold by druggists and dealers everywhere, a sample of each, with 32-page book, will be mailed free on application to "Cuticura," Dept. 17, Boston.

HEALTH AS AN INVESTMENT.

Fraternal Orders, Labor Unions and Insurance Companies Erect Tuberculosis Sanatoria.

As an investment in the health of their members, fraternal orders, labor unions, and insurance companies in the United States have established sanatoria for the treatment of tuberculosis, according to a statement issued by the National Association of Tuberculosis. The Royal League, the first fraternal order to establish a sanatorium, conducts a hospital for its tuberculosis members at Black Mountain, The Modern Woodmen of America conduct one at Colorado Springs; the Workmen's Circle, one at Liberty, N. Y., and the Independent Order of Foresters have one at Rainbow Lake, N. Y., and will soon open a second one at San Francisco, Cal. The International Typographical union has since 1898 conducted a sanatorium at Colorado Springs, and the International Printing Pressmen and Assistants' Union of America has recently opened a new institution at Rogersville, Tenn. A leading life insurance company is now erecting a sanatorium at Mt. McGregor, N. Y., which will be the first of its kind established by an "old line" insurance company.

The Simple Life.

Anna Marie Wilhelmina Pickering, in her "Memoirs," edited by her son, tells a Yorkshire incident which contains a great deal of human nature. Variety speaks life, the plain is monotonous, until its extent entitles it to the name of prairie or desert, and it gains interest through variety.

There was an old couple in the village whom I used often to go to see. One day when I found them sitting on each side of the fire the old man said to me:

"Well, I miss it and we've been married half on 50 years, and we've never had one quarrel."

The old woman looked at me, with a twinkle in her eye, and said:

"It was verie conscientious, but verie dool."—Youth's Companion.

A Truth Specialist.

"Biggles says he is for the plain truth."

"Yes," replied the frank philosopher; "but so many people think they are standing up for the truth when they are merely standing out for a difference of opinion."

Inflammatory Rheumatism may make you a cripple for life.

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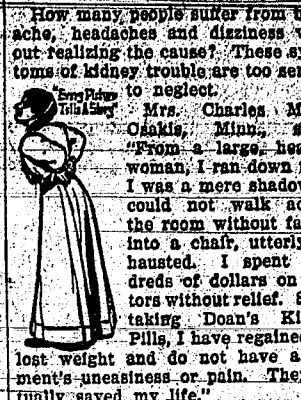
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How many people suffer from backache, headaches and dizziness without realizing the cause? These symptoms of kidney trouble are too serious to neglect.

Mrs. Charles Mann, Chicago, Ill., says: "I was a large, healthy woman; I ran down until I was a mere shadow. I could not walk across the room without falling into a chair, utterly exhausted. I spent hundreds of dollars on doctors without relief. Since taking Doan's Kidney Pills, I have regained my weight and do not have a moment's uneasiness or pain. They actually saved my life."

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Lawn Economies.

"I note," says the sage, "that you allow a sprinkler to spray water upon your lawn almost continuously."

"Yes," said the native. "We do that to make the grass grow."

"But the other day I saw a man pushing a clacker contrivance over the lawn and—"

"Oh, yes; that was a lawn mower?"

"And what is its purpose?"

"Why, it cuts the grass."

"Then why do you put water on it to make it grow if you simply cut it down as fast as it comes up?"—Judge.

A Student of Humanity.

Mrs. Carter and her cook, says the Brooklyn Citizen, were discussing the murder which had harrowed the dusky citizens of the countryside.

"Will dey hang him fer killin' of his wife, Miss Carter?"

"We can't tell yet, Aunt Jinny. The court will decide. Of course, if they prove he did it on purpose—"

"Done it a purpose! Law, Miss Carter, in course he kill his wife a purpose! Honey, ain't I done been married? Don't-I know me?"

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My child was suffering from a severe case of diphtheria. It instantly stops the pain of burns. Cures without scars. 25c and 50c. Druggists. For free sample write to J. W. Cole & Co., Black River Falls, Wis.

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CURRENT AND GOOSEBERRY

By Q. I. GREGG, Assistant Horticulturist, Michigan Agricultural College

The currant and gooseberry commonly known as groselles, are among the important small fruits to be grown on every farm or small fruit garden. Their care is simple and for this reason are not given as careful attention as they really should have in order to get good results. For a farmer's fruit garden one dozen plants of each is generally sufficient, as they are but little used fresh, their principal use being for preserves and jelly.

They are rather easily propagated. The young shoots one foot in length if planted deep in a nursery row in late fall so that their tips are above ground a large proportion will take root the following season and can be permanently planted the second spring. They should be planted 4 to 6 feet, and better 5 to 6 feet apart. They should be kept cultivated throughout the summer similarly to raspberries. They thrive in a cool, rather damp soil, and a heavy soil is much better than a light soil.

Unlike the brambles the groselles have small fruit spurs on old wood which produce fruit year after year. They also bear fruit on the previous season's growths from lateral buds. On this account the pruning of the groselles is entirely different from that of the other small fruits. But little pruning is necessary the first few years. After four years of growth, however, they should be pruned regularly every year. In pruning all branches over four years of age should be removed, as these become too old to form good large fruit. At the same time all branches lying on the ground, those attacked with borers, broken, or intertwining branches should be removed. There are generally too many new shoots that spring from the roots each year. These should be removed except three or four of the best and strongest ones left distributed about the bush to take the place of some old branch that is to be taken out soon. An ideal currant or gooseberry bush should, therefore, be symmetrical, made up of two or three shoots four years old, the same number of three-year-old branches, and possibly more of one or two-year shoots to allow for an extra number that might be broken or diseased. If properly taken care of, cultivated, pruned and supplied with a mulch of manure each year, a sure crop will result.

There are several varieties, but

among currants the London Market is a very prolific, hardy and desirable variety and although not as large as the cherry currants, as Fava Prolifica is as desirable as any variety.

Among the gooseberries the Downing takes the lead, being planted more extensively in Michigan than all other varieties put together.

Flock Should Be Well Fed in Fall.

The success of the lamb crop in the spring depends a great deal upon the health of the flock during the breeding season and upon the condition in which they go into the winter feeding pens. Good condition can be assured by furnishing some succulent pasture, such as rape, during the season when pastures are dry and bare.

This has been done in some places by seeding rape in the oats at a time that it will produce forage in the oat stubble after harvest.

Keeping Up Stamina of Flock.

A good way to keep up the blood and stamina of the flock is to secure good male birds each year. Breeders who keep good stock will dispose of males much cheaper now than they will later in the year or next spring. The male will give better services if he is purchased early and kept with the females some months before breeding time.

Select Seed Corn Before Cutting.

The best time to select seed corn is while the corn is still standing in the field. At that time not only the ear but the stalk can be seen and the maturity and character of the whole plant can be judged. A liberal quantity of ears should be selected to allow for those which will be discarded by the germination test in the spring.

Care of the Chicken Yard.

The poultry yard should be plowed or spaded up every two weeks or so. By exposing the under soil to the sun it keeps pure and the chickens enjoy it. Ever notice that immediately the chicken yard is spaded up the birds begin to make dust holes? How can they do this on hard ground?

Watch the Stranger.

When you add a new specimen to your flock, place the strange fowl by itself for a few days and watch for signs of lice or disease. A healthy flock may be ruined by the introduction of a bird which carries the germs of trouble.

Summer Woodpiles.

The summer wood piles ought to be growing fast these days, or will let mother and the girls rustle for the stove wood next summer?

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Among the improvements resulting in substantial savings can be mentioned the change in size of internal revenue stamps, and improvement in shipping; the numbering, sealing and separating of United States notes; gold and silver certificates in one operation, instead of several; the re-adjustments at the New Orleans and Philadelphia mints and changes in coinage with transportation and cancellation of currency, improvements at the bureau of engraving and printing; the changes in forms and elimination of unnecessary printing and binding as well as improved methods of administration in the revenue cutter service, life-saving service, and the abandonment of old and unnecessary quarantine stations.

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